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Smith, Hoffman To Testify at Foreign Aid Quiz

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Gen. Walter Bedell Smith and Paul G. Hoffman, former foreign aid chief, will be lead-off witnesses Tuesday as the House Foreign Affairs Committee starts its review of United States aid, behind closed doors, it was announced yesterday.

Smith, former head of the Central Intelligence Agency, was President Eisenhower's Chief of Staff in Europe during World War II. Hoffman was President Truman's first Foreign Aid Administrator.

John J. McCloy, former United States High Commissioner for Germany, and Howard C. Peterson, former Assistant Secretary of War, also will be heard Tuesday. Committee Chairman James P. Richards (D-S.C.), said testimony will be taken behind closed doors. He said the Committee plans to make it public later—probably after the Nov. 6 presidential election.